

**Government of Andhra Pradesh
Forest Department**

From
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District Forest Officer,
Ananthapuramu.

To
The Chief Conservator of Forests,
Ananthapuramu Circle,
Ananthapuramu.

Rc. No. 2489/2018/TO, dated: 31.10.2022

Sir,

Sub: APFD - Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – Diversion of 2.03 ha of forest land falling in Sy.No. 300/1 of Julakalva village of Singanamala mandal falling in Compartment No. 594/p Mutchukota RF, Gooty Range, Ananthapuramu for grant of quarry lease for Steatite and Dolomite in favour of M/s Rama Minerals,, Prop: Smt. B. Ramadevi, Tadipatri, Ananthapuramu District – Proposal along with Part-II & III recommendation submitted – Additional information submission of – Regarding.

Ref: 1) P.C.C.F, AP, Guntur Rc. no. EFS02-15029/8/2018-FCA-SEC-PCCF/FCA-1,dt: 25.09.2022.
2) Forest Range Officer, ATP, Mining/2017/FRO, Gooty, Dt: 26.10.2022



In compliance to the reference 1st cited, it is submitted vide ref. 2nd cited the Forest Range Officer, Gooty has submitted the additional information regarding road for transportation of mineral from the proposed mining lease area is furnished duly attending the short comings and rectified information is resubmitted herewith for favour of kind perusals.

Sl. No.	Short coming	::	Reply of the DFO
1	The DFO, Ananthapuramu has submitted site inspection report of the forest area required for diversion and safety zone scheme details in hard copy. However, the same were not uploaded in PARIVESH portal though it is mandatory.	::	It is submitted that the degraded Forest land identified one and half time of safety zone area in compartment no. 632 Molakatalla RF, Rayalacheruvu beat of Gooty Range the Safety Zone Scheme details are uploaded in PARIVESH portal.
2	The user agency has not proposed any area for road in their proposal for transportation of mineral from the proposed mining lease area. The Director Mines & Geology, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam in Lr. No. 31281/R4-1/2017, dated 12.03.2018, while forwarding the proposal to this office has informed that, the present applied area is adjoining to the existing road and hence there is no need for further road construction. However, the DFO, Ananthapuramu has not informed details of the existing road which will be utilized by the user agency for transporting the mineral from the proposed mining lease area.	::	It is submitted that the proposed mining lease area is situated towards North - West of Mutchukota village and it is adjacent to existing road with a width of 5.50 mt (6 yards) connecting from Tabjula village to Ananthapuramu – Tadiparti main road passing through the Mutchukota R.F i.e., starting point is 14.85599, 77.82866 and ending point is 14.82716, 77.84449 (4.40 kms). Further, it is submitted that the existing mining lease holders i.e., (1) M/s White Field Minerals, Dhona, (2) Sri Nagalingeswara Mines & Minerals, Julakalva (V), Singanamala mandal and (3) M/s Sreenivasa Mineral Company, Ananthapuramu sanctioned by the GoI are utilizing the same road for transportation of extracted mineral. Extract of the block notification of Mutchukota RF and Survey of India (SoI) topo sheet are herewith enclosed.

This is submitted for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Encl :- As above

Yours faithfully,

District Forest Officer,
Ananthapuramu.

29/10/22